



PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
Yukio MURATA) Examiner: N. Worku
Application No.: 09/433,741) Group Art Unit: 2626
Filed: November 4, 1999) Confirmation No.: 2920
For: CONTROL METHOD FOR) July 21, 2004
DOCUMENT SCANNING)
DEVICE)

RECEIVED

JUL 23 2004

MAIL STOP AMENDMENT
Commissioner For Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Technology Center 2600

AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated April 21, 2004, Applicant submits
the following amendments and remarks.